Introduction to the ESG-CET CMIP5 Federation

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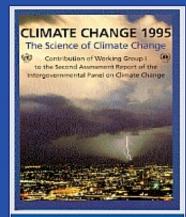
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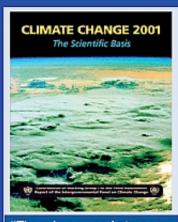


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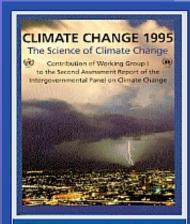


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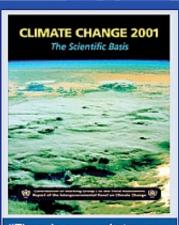
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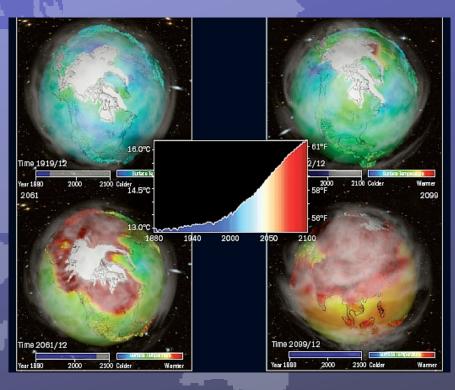
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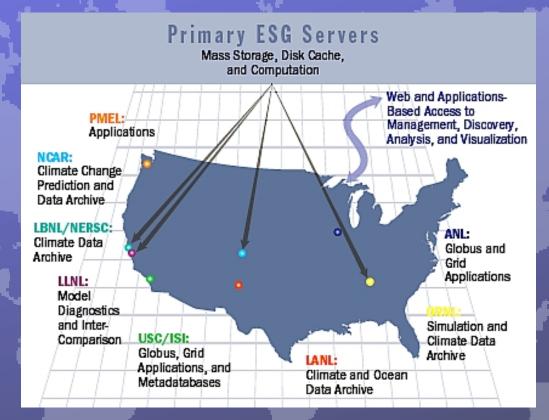


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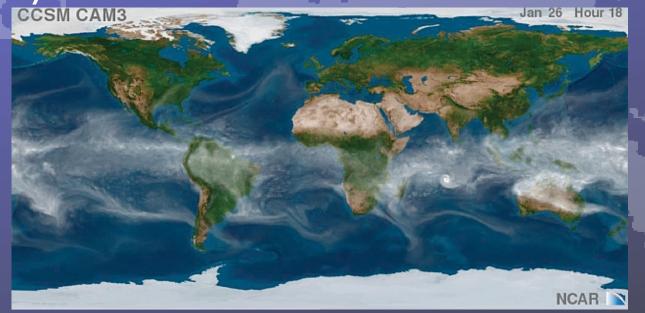


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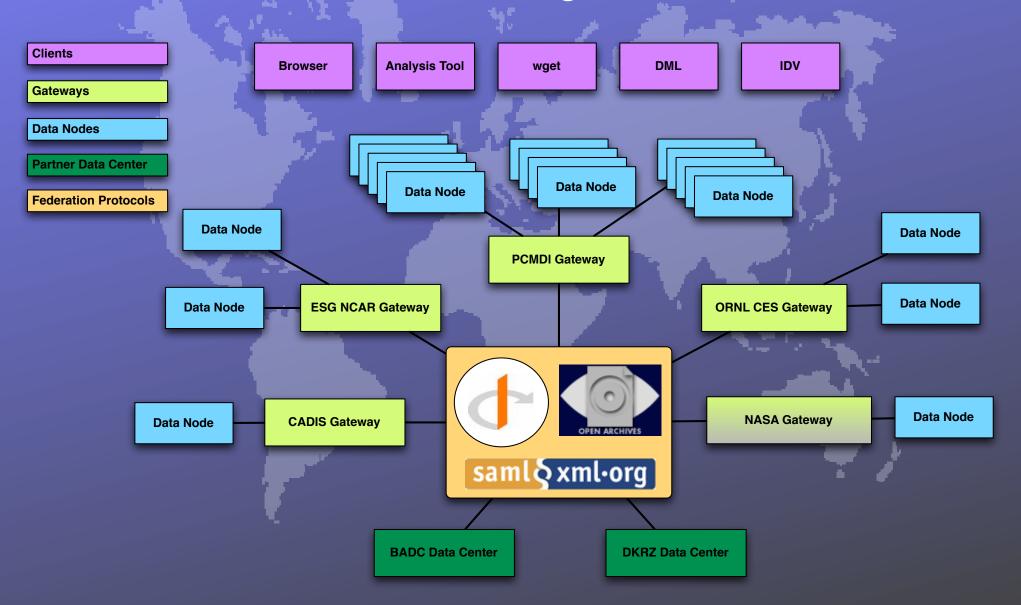
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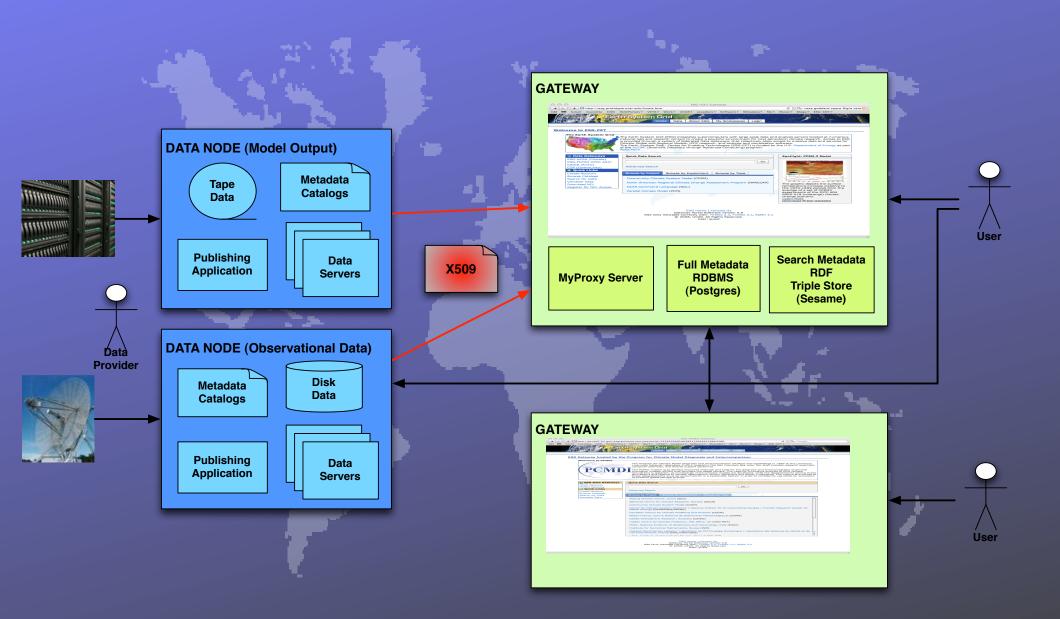


ESG Federation

Distributed, Federated, Integrated, Extensible



Data Flow Across ESG Federation

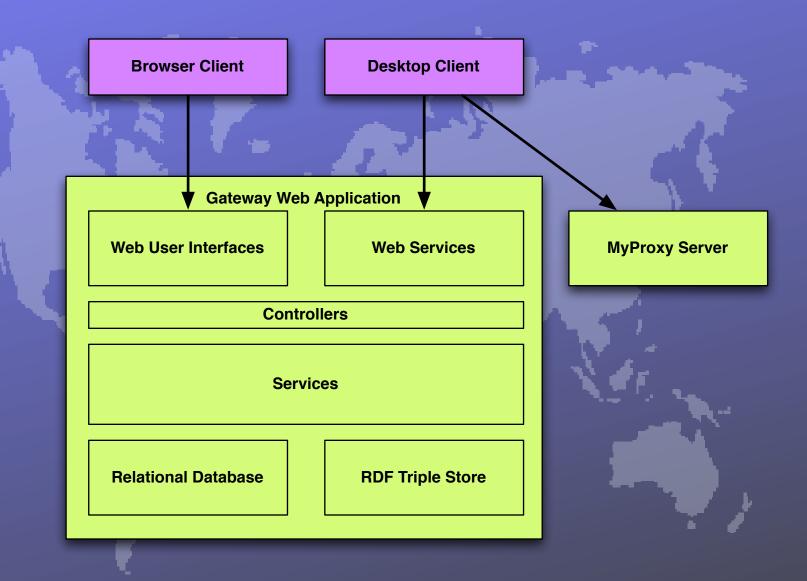


The ESG Gateway

- Enables and controls data access to multiple Data Nodes
- Federates with other Gateways
- Functionality:
 - Hierarchical browsing of metadata catalogs
 - Semantic faceted search
 - Detailed model description ("track-back"
 - User registration and group membership
 - Authentication and authorization
 - Metadata exchange



Gateway Internal Architecture



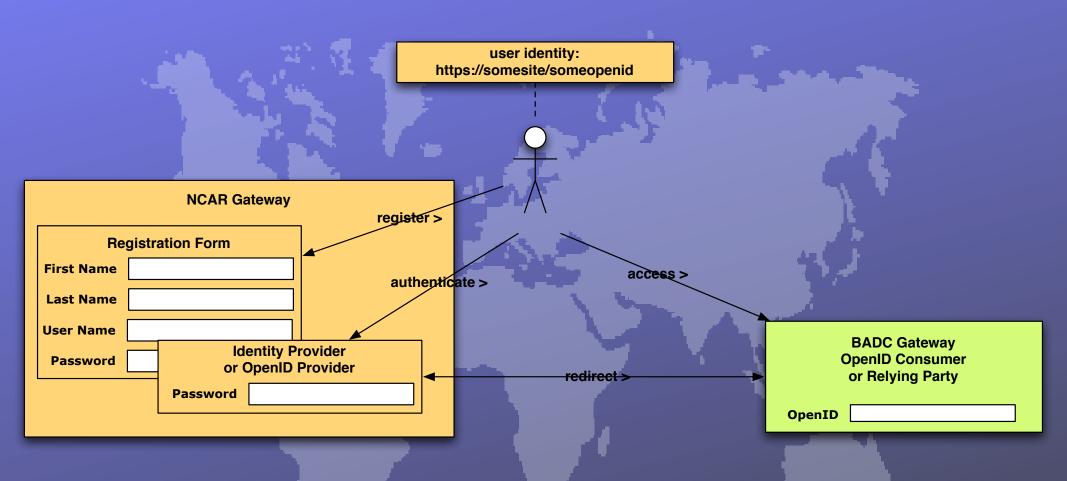


Federation Services

- Current Federation Services:
 - Single Sign On
 - Attributes Exchange
 - Metadata Exchange
- Possible Future Federation Services:
 - Global Registry for Gateways, Data Nodes, Data Services
 - Global Monitoring
 - Workflow Services



Single Sign On via OpenID

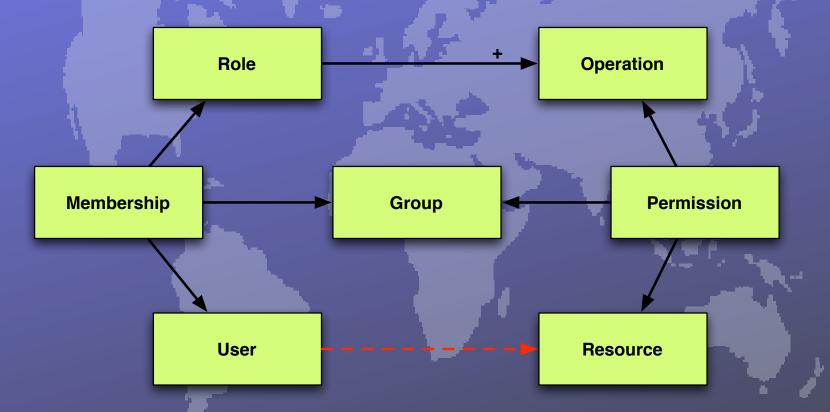


ESG Gateway: OpenID Consumer + OpenId Provider



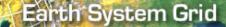
ESG Access Control Model

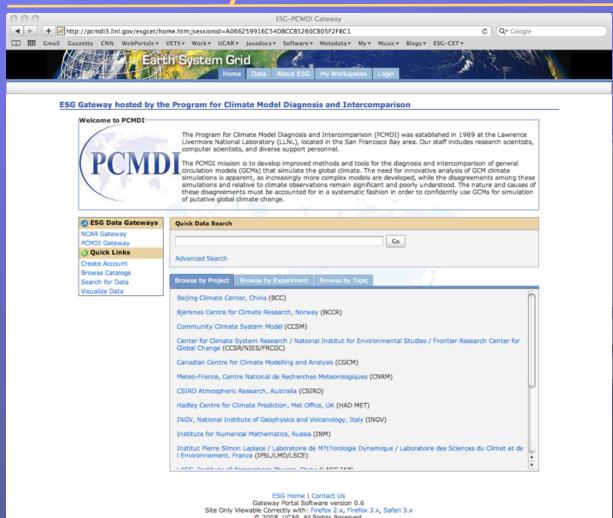
- Users belong to Groups
- Resources are restricted to Groups



Groups are controlled by Gateways

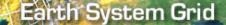


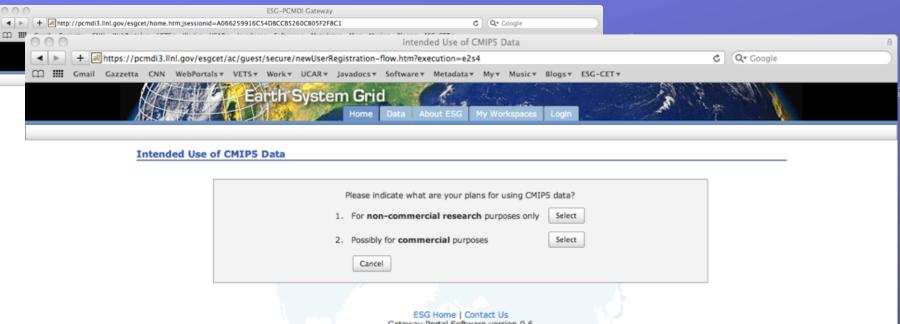




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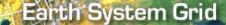


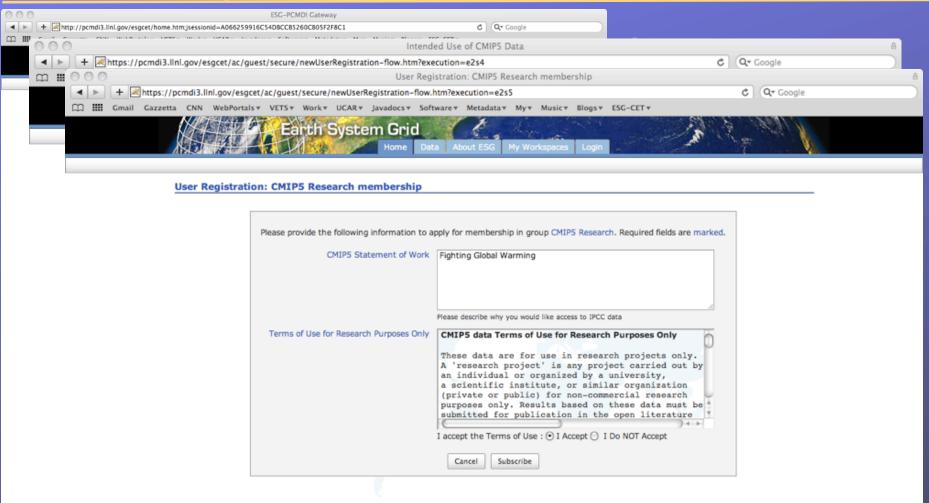




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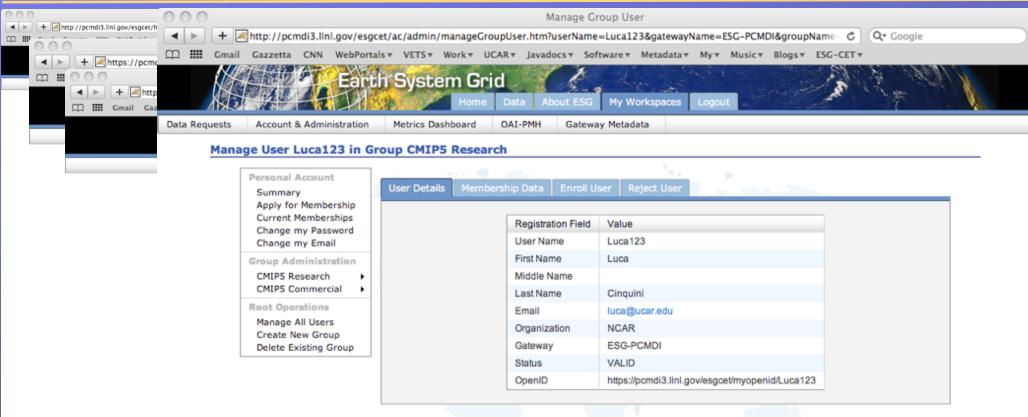




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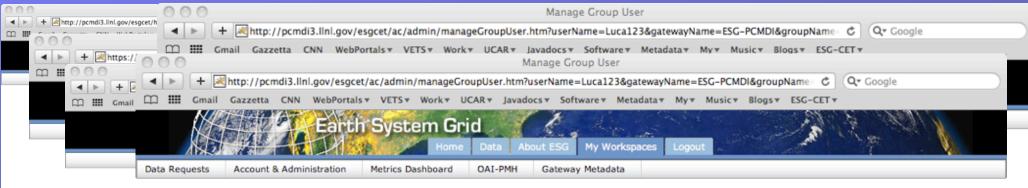
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Manage User Luca123 in Group CMIP5 Research

Personal Account Summary	User Details	Membership Data	Enroll User	Reject User	1 . T .		
Apply for Membership Current Memberships Change my Password		Assign special roles (if any) to the user (the default roles for this group are pre-selected).					
Change my Email		Special Roles	Optio	onal Administ	rator Message		
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Root Operations Manage All Users Create New Group		☐ Super User					//
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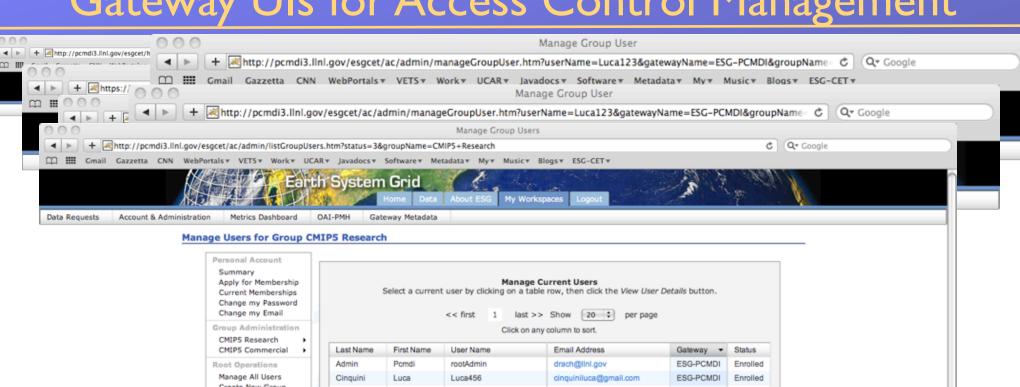
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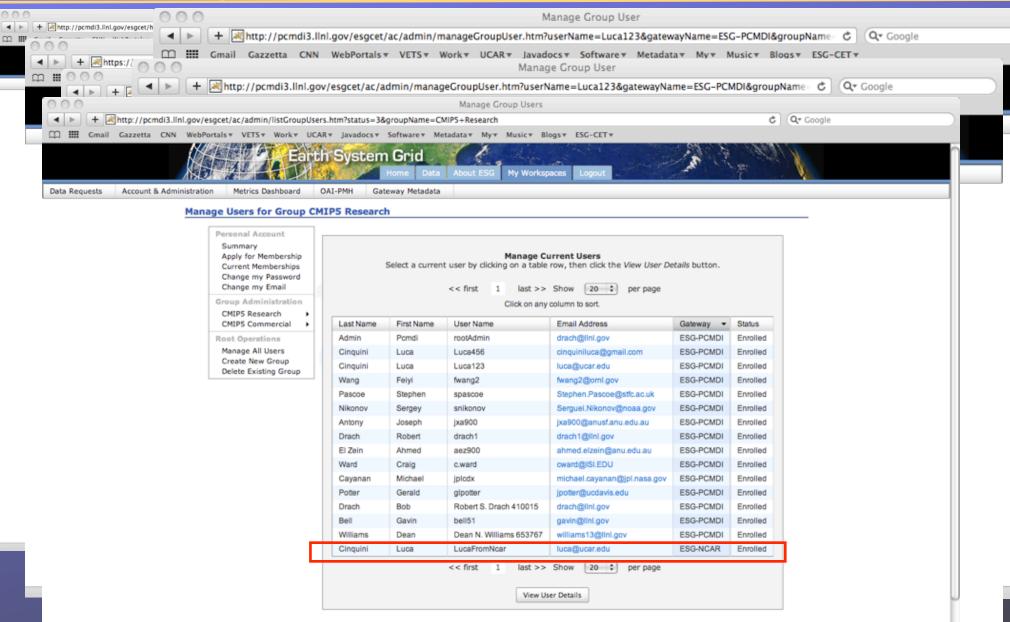


Create New Group Delete Existing Group

Last Name	First Name	User Name	Email Address	Gateway ▼	Status
Admin	Pcmdi	rootAdmin	drach@linl.gov	ESG-PCMDI	Enrolled
Cinquini	Luca	Luca456	cinquiniluca@gmail.com	ESG-PCMDI	Enrolled
Cinquini	Luca	Luca123	luca@ucar.edu	ESG-PCMDI	Enrolled
Wang	Feiyi	fwang2	fwang2@oml.gov	ESG-PCMDI	Enrolled
Pascoe	Stephen	spascoe	Stephen.Pascoe@stfc.ac.uk	ESG-PCMDI	Enrolled
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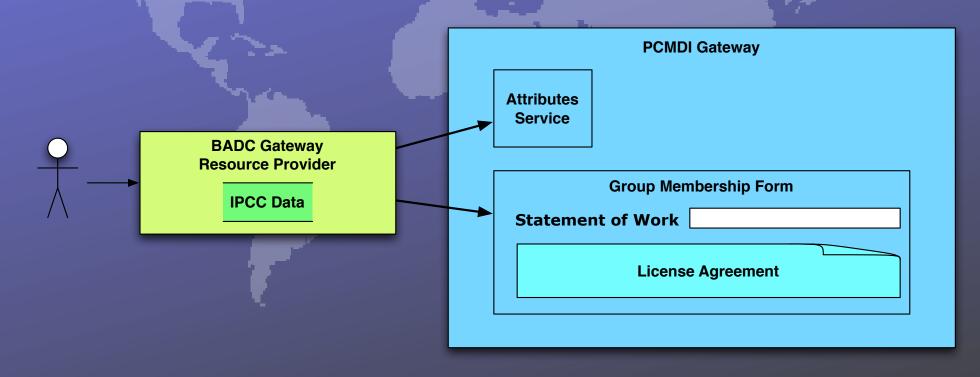
Gateway Uls for Access Control Management



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SAML Attributes Service

- Secure Web Service used to request user information:
 - Limited personal information (first/last name, email)
 - Access control attributes
- SAML: Security Assertion Markup Language



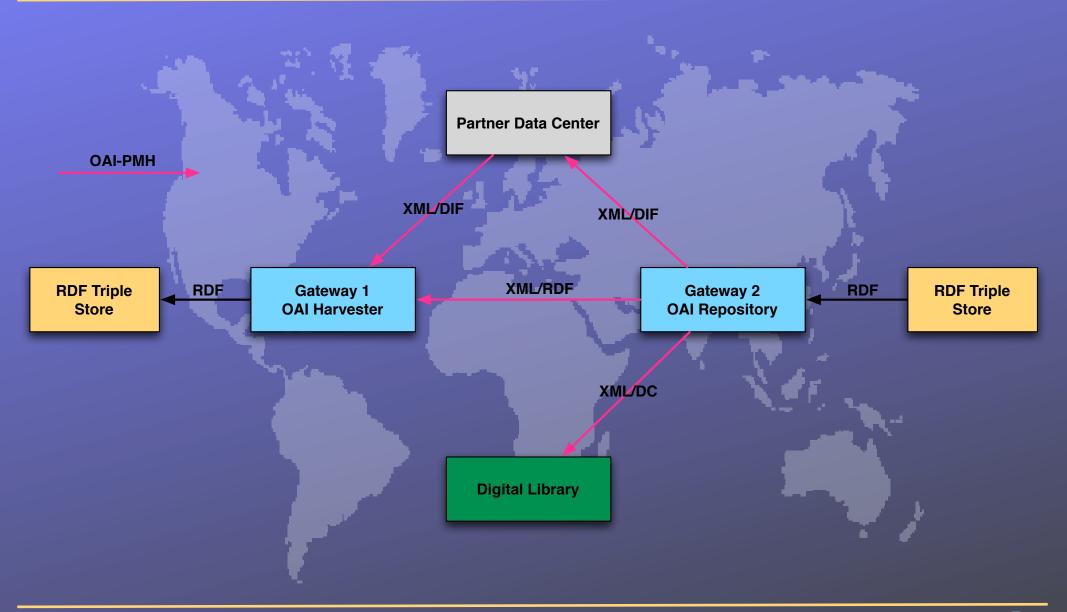
Metadata Exchange via OAI-PMH

- Metadata exchange enables federation-wide search
- Open Archive Initiative Protocol for Metadata Harvesting
 - Client (OAI Harvester) Server (OAI Repository)
 - Metadata records are encoded in XML format
 - 6 verbs: Identify, ListMetadataFormats, ListSets, ListIdentifiers, ListRecords, GetRecord
- ESG Gateway: OAI Harvester + OAI Repository
 - Import/Export to/from RDF triple store
 - Metadata formats: RDF, DIF, DC





ESG Gateway as OAI Harvester & Repository





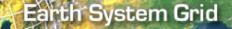


Example: Gateway OAI Administrative Interface





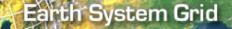




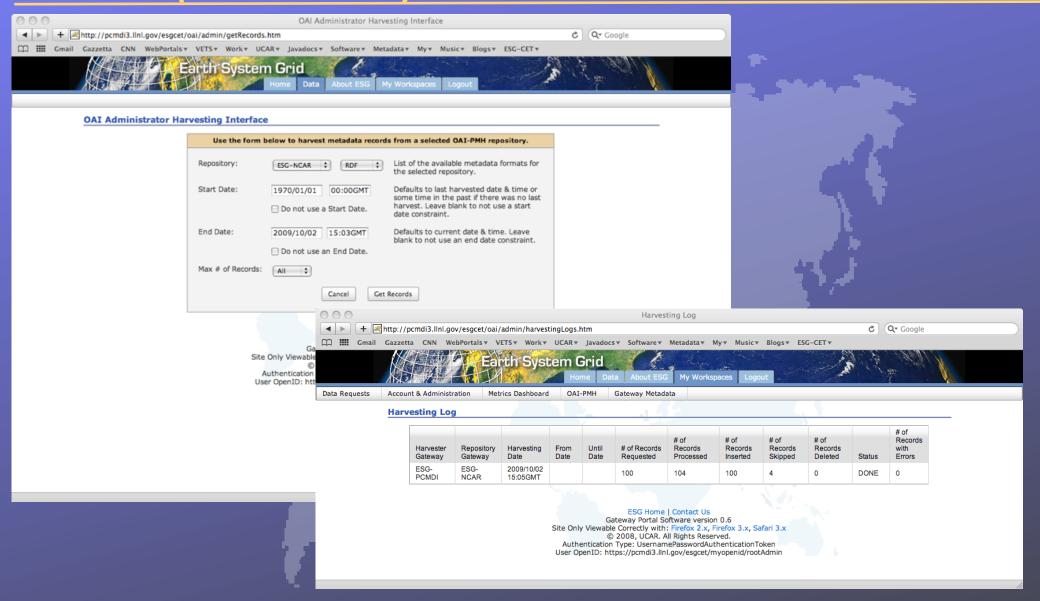
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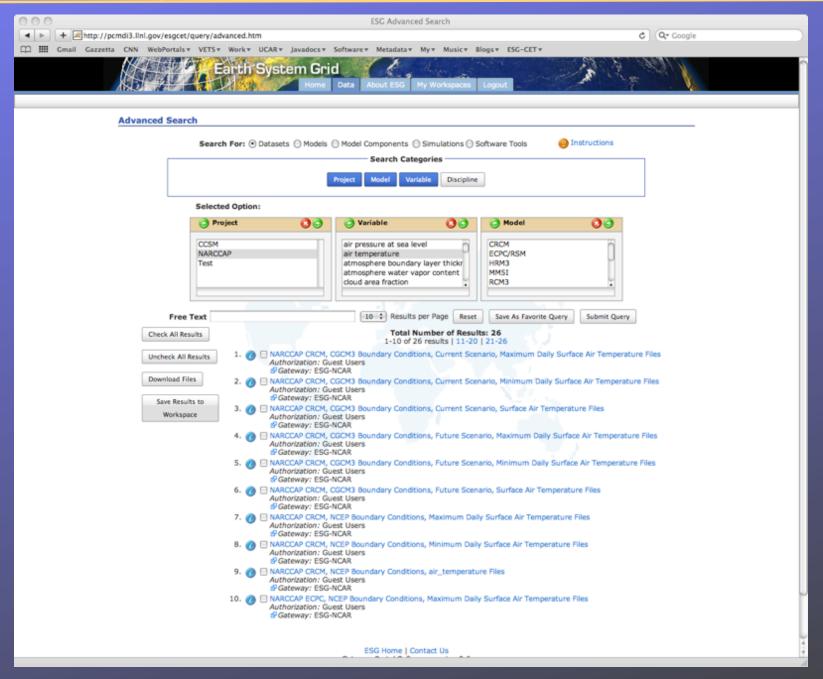


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Example: Gateway Faceted Search #1



Example: Gateway Faceted Search #2



Conclusions: how to join the ESG federation

- Option #1: setup Data Node
 - Store and serves data locally, publish to external Gateway
 - Retain control of data, uses Gateway high level services
- Option #2: setup Gateway
 - Responsible for serving a specific scientific community
 - Expose personal identity
- Option #3: implement Federation Services
 - OpenID Provider/Consumer, SAML Attribute Service, OAI Repository/Harvester





Thank you. Questions?